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STORING DATA IN A STORAGE MEDIUM

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- ☒ 7 No. of Sheets of Drawings Sheet(s) of drawings (☒ informal) + 0 extra copies;
☒ 30 pages of Application; 29 pages of specification, 1 page of abstract
☒ An assignment of the invention to International Business Machines Corporation (☐ Will follow.)
☒ A preliminary amendment.
☒ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.
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☒ Certified copy of Patent Application No. filed from which priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
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